BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

		Normal.	*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Rice	... ...	.....	.....
Ragi	... ...	.....	.....

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are not in good condition except under large tanks paddy crop is reported to be withering, avare and togare are in good condition in most parts of the district Ragi, and sugar-cane are being harvested in some parts.

10. Prospects of the season not promising.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Water and fodder sufficiently available for the present. Cattle healthy.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops such as paddy and sugar-cane under tanks are withering. Irrigation supplies are scanty. Kadale and jola are being sown in tank beds in the Bagepalli Taluk. Vysakhi paddy is being sown in parts of Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks. Ragi and sugar-cane are being harvested in all the taluks of the district. Karthika paddy is being harvested in parts of Kolar, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks, and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season indifferent. Food stocks available.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be withering everywhere. Vysaki paddy is being sown in Tumkur, Sira, Gubbi, Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks; and jola in Koratagere, Pavagada and Maddagiri Taluks. Ragi in Koratagere, Turuvekere, Kunigal, Tiptur, Sira and Gubbi Taluks; Paddy in Tumkur, Koratagere, Pavagada, Sira and Maddagiri; castor in Pavagada and Gubbi; sugar-cane, kulthi and togare in Gubbi, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season unsatisfactory. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops have withered in most parts of the district and are withering in other parts for want of rain. Ragi in parts of Seringapatam Taluk; and paddy in parts of Seringapatam, Hassan, Yedatore, Nanjangud and French Rocks, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season not satisfactory. Rainfall has been insufficient throughout the district. There is none employed on relief works. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient for the present.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder are available, except in parts of Hunsur, Gundlupet and Nagamangala Taluks, where they are getting scarce.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, sugar-cane is reported to be withering in parts of the Maidan Taluks, and it is being harvested in Hassan and Belur Taluks. Paddy is being harvested in all the taluks and ragi in Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks. Dry crops such as kulthi, etc., are reported to be withering in some parts and have already withered in other parts for want of rain.

10. Prospects of the season indifferent. Food stocks are fairly sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder is getting scarce in Channarayapatna, Hassan and Hole-Narsipur Taluks. In some villages of the Channarayapatna Taluk difficulty for water is also felt.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane, horse gram and castor are in good condition. The harvest of paddy and ragi is progressing, a moderate outturn of the harvest is expected.

10. Rainfall insufficient throughout the district but food stocks are sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Water and fodder are not so abundant as could be desired.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. The standing crops of paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition. The dry crops of ballar, kulthi, togare, coriander and jola in Kadur, Tarikere and Chikmagalur Taluks are reported to be withering for want of rain. Paddy, sugar-cane, chillies and kulthi in Kadur, Tarikere and Chikmagalur Taluks have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. The standing crops are reported to be withering in parts of the Chitaldrug, Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks, ragi, jola, paddy, castor and chillies are being harvested in the Davangere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season indifferent. Food stocks available.

11. Public health generally good: Fever still prevails in the Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy except in parts of the Challakere Taluk where they are suffering from foot and mouth disease.

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